

THE CHARITON COURIER.

C. P. VANDIVER, 2d and Prop.

KEYTESVILLE, - MISSOURI.

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Friday, March 8, 1895.

Dr. H. D. Broaddus, DENTIST, KEYTESVILLE, - MO.

Graduate of University of Tennessee. All dental work done by the latest approved scientific methods, at reasonable prices. Office upstairs, front rooms over Agge Bros. grocery store.

County court next Monday.

The sale of stamps at the Keytesville post-office during the month of February, 1895, amounted to \$200.11.

H. P. Eastwood of near town, who has been sick for the past month, is still confined to the house though he is slowly improving.

Chapman Bros. can furnish you the best plow or work shoes to be had in the county. Call and look through their stock before buying.

With the reduction in the subscription price of the COURIER to \$1 a year we shall expect our subscribers to pay strictly in advance.

On and after March 8th I will be in Keytesville every Friday and Saturday for the purpose of making photographs. All work guaranteed. KEA JER, the Photographer.

Our stock of harness, saddles, collars and bridles, and all goods kept in a first-class harness store, is complete. We make and sell more team harness than any shop in Chariton county which is proof that we make good goods and sell them at low prices. Call and see us. CHAPMAN BROS.

There isn't a better coffee in the world than Blanke's Roasted Coffee. Three pounds for \$1.

A Little Horse Sense.

When cloaks go out of style, the dry goods man cuts prices and sells them cheap. The clothier does the same way with men's clothing, sometimes a stock of shoes is damaged by fire and water, and the shoe-man cuts prices on them and clears his shelves.

But what excuse can a grocer give for cutting prices? Pure foods don't go out of style. People don't want groceries that have been damaged by fire or water. The whole truth in a nutshell is that when a grocer cuts prices, he cuts quantity at the same time.

I Don't Cut Prices.

My stock of groceries is as standard as gold. I give my faithful promise to sell nothing—not one single thing—unless it is absolutely pure. Don't be humbugged. Don't cut down your health by eating cut-priced groceries. My stock is a pure food stock. My grocery is a clean grocery. My prices are as low as I can afford for standard goods.

S. M. White,

KEYTESVILLE, MO.

Blanke's Coffee—first, last and all the time.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce

O. L. DINES

as a candidate for county school commissioner, subject to the action of the annual school election to be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1895.

We are authorized to announce

J. H. MARON

as a candidate for county school commissioner, subject to the action of the annual school election to be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1895.

We are authorized to announce

W. A. STRATTON

as a candidate for county school commissioner, subject to the action of the annual school election to be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1895.

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce

A. S. TAYLOR

as a candidate for re-election to the office of township trustee of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce

REYANT CARR

as a candidate for collector of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

We are authorized to announce

M. L. FUSSELL

as a candidate for re-election to the office of collector of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

We are authorized to announce

J. M. DEMOSS

as a candidate for justice of the peace and member of the township board of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

We are authorized to announce

H. A. WHEELER

as a candidate for re-election to the office of justice of the peace and member of the township board of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

CONSTABLE.

We are authorized to announce

F. M. VEATCH

as a candidate for constable of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

We are authorized to announce

JOHN KUGRACUM

as a candidate for constable of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

MARSHAL.

We are authorized to announce

J. L. BROWN

as a candidate for city marshal of Keytesville, subject to the nominating convention of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

AD. ENHREE

as a candidate for city marshal of Keytesville, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

CLERK AND ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce

OWEN A. HOCKER

as a candidate for clerk and assessor of Keytesville township, subject to the action of the voters at the regular township election to be held on Tuesday, March 26th, 1895.

We had another blizzard last Sunday night, and the ground was covered with snow to an average depth of about two inches. Spring hasn't sprung yet.

"Squire J. H. Brown of the Bowling Green prairie, who has been laid up with the grippe for the past two or three weeks, was able to be on our streets last Saturday.

County Clerk Edwards and family returned from Brunswick Monday morning where they had been to attend the obsequies of Mrs. Edwards' mother, Mrs. A. Reager.

The A. O. U. W. lodge at Brunswick is in such a prosperous condition that the members are considering the advisability of building a new lodge room of their own.

Sumner has a Liar's club. Brother Northcott of the Sumner Star is, of course, not eligible to membership, as newspaper men are all (most all) George Washingtons.

Newhall is having a "boom" in the shape of a new store-room that is to be occupied as a hardware store by Messrs. Smith & Wehrli, who are running a blacksmith shop at that place.

We wish every lady in Keytesville and vicinity would call and inspect our elegant line of spring shoes and oxfords. They are beauties and the prices are extremely low.

CHAPMAN BROS.

Miss Lottie Aldridge, who has been spending several weeks visiting at Salisbury, returned home Monday evening.

Rev. J. J. Squire of Brunswick has been called to the pastorate of the new Presbyterian church at Indian Grove.

Chapman Bros. will make exceeding low prices on all rubber goods including all grades of gum boots, sandals, etc.

If you are hunting a place to get shoes that are worth 100 cents on the dollar, call at Chapman Bros. and you will find them in all grades and styles.

W. W. Steele, one of the COURIER's new friends of near Indian Grove, with his family visited in Keytesville last Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Steele has rented a place four miles north of Brunswick where he moves this week.

Rev. F. G. Walther, pastor of the Lutheran church at Brunswick, and his good wife were both born on Feb. 22nd, the same day of the month as George Washington. It is useless to add that the Walthers are a truthful family.

Some farmers are complaining that we have not had enough damp weather to put the tobacco in case which has worked quite a hardship on those who have had to move, on account of their not being able to strip their tobacco before moving.

Miss Zettie Bean of Keytesville, who has been the guest of friends in Fayette for the past week, left Tuesday for Forest Green where she will visit other friends before returning home. She was accompanied as far as Higbee by Miss Maud Gay.—Fayette Advertiser.

Messrs. Schnebman & Difani have perfected their plans for the erection of a large implement establishment on the lot opposite Strub Bros. double store at Brunswick. The new structure will be two stories high. The upper story will probably be occupied by George Klingbeil, the cigar manufacturer.

Don't fail to call and see those nice carpets at J. P. Moore's furniture store. He can please you in any color or grade carpets, cut and matched to fit. He also keeps a full stock of furniture and undertakers' goods constantly on hand, all of which he offers at ROCK BOTTOM prices. Call and see Mr. Moore. He will treat you right.

The Salisbury Press-Spectator expresses the opinion that "any town or city that depends on public institutions for existence is a weakling, and is certain to howl when an effort is made to take any part of it away." This is, perhaps, why Salisbury "howls" so when anything is said about repealing the Salisbury terms of circuit court.

Lee Bishop, wife and two children of Harrodsburg, Ky., and Leslie Bishop of Louisville are visiting relatives in and near Dalton. The former gentleman married Miss Virena Clarkson who once lived at Dalton. The latter brother is unmarried, but, perhaps, he, too, would not object to uniting his fate with that of a fair Missouri flower. The brothers talk of going into business in this state and may locate at Keytesville or Salisbury.

"Uncle Tom" Elliott received a copy of the Trinidad (Colorado) Baptist last Wednesday morning. Rev. B. F. Lawler is the editor of the journal and is also pastor of the Baptist church at that place. We notice from its columns that Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Elliott have united with Rev. Lawler's church. It will be remembered that Mr. and Mrs. Elliott moved from Keytesville to Trinidad two or three months ago, where Mr. Elliott had accepted a position in a large harness establishment.

There is one boy in Brunswick, says the Republican, who will cease "monkeying" with the switches on the electric light poles. Several nights ago this certain boy thought he would have a little fun by climbing the electric pole and turning off the circuit. He reached the "switch" and in attempting to turn it, he received a shock that tumbled him in a heap to the ground, and for about five minutes he was in doubt whether he had been kicked by a government mule or had been struck by lightning.

Our Spring Announcement.

We have just received our new spring goods, consisting of all the late styles in Staple and novelty Dress Goods, both in patterns and bolt.

Silk Gingham,
All-Wool Challies,
Broadcloth, in black
and tan,
Trimmings and linings
of all descriptions.

WHITE GOODS

Large line, 5c pr yd up.
Percales, Chambrays,
Ladies' shirt waists
and fronts,
Complete line of Shoes,
both ladies' and gents'.

Men's shoes, black and tan. Ladies' shoes in lace, button or gaiter. Ladies' and children's Oxfords, any style. New spring hats and caps for men and boys, white and negligee shirts; in fact, everything in furnishing goods is now in the house. We have a complete line of staple dry goods which we are selling at the very lowest prices. We cordially invite every one to call and examine our stock.

MILLER & LEWIS, Keytesville.

P. S.—Do not forget that we have a large stock of Embroideries and Insertions. Also Belding Bros' Filo, Embroidery and Knitting Silks.

Salisbury has the mumps, and has postponed establishing a pickle factory.

The COURIER owes Mrs. O. P. Ray an apology, but "ye editor" is at a loss to know just how to offer it.

Several Salisbury young men are talking of organizing an athletic club. Corbett may well look to his laurels.

The old Kuechler hotel property at Brunswick, known as the "Brauswick house," has been purchased by C. R. Mason for \$750.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Most Perfect Made.

Our father, Mr. A. C. Vandiver, has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to go out to his brother's, Mr. T. L. Vandiver's, four miles southeast of town, where he is spending the week.

J. Hall is moving his restaurant this week from the Winfree building to the Anderson & Rucker building next door east of the COURIER office. As soon as the Winfree building can be repaired it will be occupied by G. M. Dewey & Co's hardware store.

Letter List.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters in Keytesville post-office March, 1st, 1895:

J. A. Mathis.
Miss Mattie McMaous.
Mrs. Landora North.
Miss Daisie E. Ross.
Mrs. C. B. Tribble.
Mr. Richard Williams.
Samuel Woods.

When calling for the above letters please say "advertised."

JNO. CHIVERS P. M.

Farm for Sale.

A 100-acre farm, located 10 miles northwest of Keytesville, has been placed in our hands for sale. There are 50 acres in cultivation and 50 acres in bluegrass pasture. There is a good house with seven rooms, a tolerably good stable and plenty of living water on premises. The place will be sold for \$30 an acre and on easy terms. For further particulars call on.

C. P. VANDIVER,
Keytesville, Mo.

Wm. Hughes and Mrs. Ella Mitchell, a dusky couple of near Keytesville station, were married by Squire H. A. Wheeler on Sunday, March 3d.

John Eastwood of near Ash, Monroe county, came up Saturday and remained a couple of days visiting his brother, H. P. Eastwood, of near town.

J. E. Mitchell, a prominent young pedagogue of Indian Grove, was a caller at our wigwam Wednesday last and paid his subscription up to March 9th, 1895.

Miss Mary Eastwood of near Moberly is visiting in this vicinity, and in company with her aunt, Mrs. H. P. Eastwood, made the COURIER a pleasant call Wednesday afternoon.

Rucker & Hunt.

If you need a sewing machine, in any grade, or at any price, or any repairs or supplies for machines, come to the old reliable dealers for them,—at 1001 Main St., Keytesville, Mo.

Sheriff J. E. Dempsey went to Jefferson City Wednesday to attend a meeting of the sheriffs of the state, to look after their interests before the legislature.

I. O. O. F. School of Instruction.

Capt. R. M. Scott as representative from Keytesville Odd Fellows' lodge attended a school of instruction of that order at Monroe City, Mo., last Tuesday and Wednesday, March 5th and 6th. Capt. Scott was the only representative present from this county, but by his suavity of manners and impressive conversational powers he induced Grand Master Abercrombie, assisted by Grand Lecturer T. P. Rixey, to hold the next school of instruction at Keytesville on April 19th and 20th. We congratulate Capt. Scott upon his success in securing "what he was there for."

Something like 200 of the brothers are expected to be present, and our citizens should with one accord do all in their power to make the stay of the visitors, while within our gates, enjoyable.

Diseases unfriendly to women are positively cured by Dr. Sawyer's Pastilles. Ask your druggist for a free sample package. It heals and cures. For sale by Speed, the druggist.

State Convention of Maccabees.

The state convention of the K. O. T. M. was held at Hannibal, Mo., last Tuesday for the purpose of electing state officers and representatives to the supreme tent at Port Huron, Mich., some time in May next.

Every Maccabee tent in Chariton county was represented at the state convention as follows:

Keytesville, J. M. Mason.
Salisbury, W. W. Riley.
Brunswick, J. E. Finch.
Triplet, A. W. Guilloid.
Indian Grove, C. C. H. Zillman.
Mendon, Rev. G. A. Robbins.

A good time is reported by those in attendance from this county, and our boys succeeded in electing two of their number to state offices, viz: Rev. G. A. Robbins, of Mendon, was chosen chaplain, and W. W. Riley of Salisbury first master-of-guard.

The only "unpleasantness" reported, happened to W. W. Riley, who lost his grip.

Marriage License.

Frank Elmore and Miss Maggie Allegu; Chas. Branner and Miss Fannie Shoemaker; J. H. Goodbar and Miss Fannie Cockran; George Blakely and Miss Carrie McFerran; B. C. Pyles and Miss Etta Craig Wm. Hughes, col., and Mrs. Ella Mitchell, col.

Auction.

Several articles of valuable and useful household goods will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder next Saturday, at 1 o'clock, P. M. Sale will take place on the corner at A. C. Phillips' livery stable in Keytesville.

Mrs. John T. Steele and her daughter, Miss Addie, who recently moved to the Elliott place adjoining town, favored the COURIER office with a friendly call Wednesday afternoon.

A Colyer, who lives two miles west of Salisbury, will be arraigned in Squire T. Newbold's court at Salisbury next Monday to answer to a charge of cruelty and mistreatment of a negro girl who makes her home his house.

Mrs. Wm. Krosse left yesterday for a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Quincy and Peoria, Illinois.